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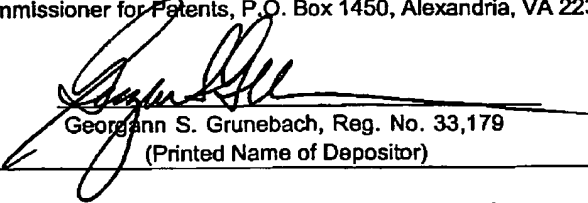
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Re: Serial No. 09/621,476

Filing Date: July 21, 2000

Title: SUPER ENCRYPTED STORAGE AND RETRIEVAL OF MEDIA PROGRAMS IN A  
HARD-PAIRED RECEIVER AND STORAGE DEVICE

Attorney Docket No. PD-200043

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- > Transmittal Letter for Amendment and Terminal Disclaimer (1 page in duplicate)
- > Response to Office Action dated July 14, 2005 (12 pages)
- > Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate a Double Patenting Rejection (2 pages)
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In re Application of: Raynold M. Kahn, et al. : Date: October 5, 2005  
 Serial No.: 09/621,476 :  
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 For: SUPER ENCRYPTED STORAGE AND RETRIEVAL OF MEDIA : Examiner: Minh Dieu T. Nguyen  
 PROGRAMS IN A HARD-PAIRED RECEIVER AND STORAGE DEVICE :

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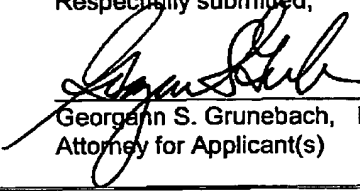
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